

SENIORS COLLECT OVER \$100 FOR POLIO FUNDS

Over \$100 came into the Torrance Woman's Club Treasury to be divided between the Sister Benny and March of Dimes funds Monday night when the club sponsored its annual card party. Mrs. A. F. R. Ewalt, chairman, reported at yesterday's club session.

New Brownie Troop Holds Investiture

Newly-elected officers, President Linda Lansdowne, Treasurer Cherie Simmons, and Secretary Janet White presided when the new Harbor City PTA-sponsored Brownie Troop 1585 held investiture ceremonies and a Halloween party at the school auditorium last Monday.

So the parents and guests would better understand the origin of the Brownie name, the story of the organization was read by Mrs. Rita Leino and pantomimed by members of the troop, with Janet McGuire as the grandmother, Judy Bradlock as the father, Jean Bear as Mary, Carolyn Andretti as Tommy, and Evelyn Finch as the owl.

After the story, the girls formed a horseshoe and were asked by their leaders if they wanted to become Brownie Scouts. When they had replied, they stepped inside the magic circle, formed of autumn leaves. Inside the circle, a large mirror surrounded by autumn leaves and flowers represented the pond in the woods featured in the Brownie story.

After each girl repeated the Brownie verse and looked in the mirror, she was presented with her membership card and Brownie pin.

Invited were Judy Bailie, Hollis Brown, Judy Bradlock, Bear, McGuire, Finch, Sandra Griffith, Sharon Stowe, Mary Shaheen, White, Dawn Terada, Marilyn Halverson, Lansdowne, Jean Newby, and Simmons. Mesdames Leino and Avis Brown lead the troop.

After the ceremonies, refreshments of punch and cookies were served to parents and social guests, including Mrs. Chris Creech, school principal, and Mrs. Ray Groover, PTA president.

LDS Women Plan Bazaar

Colorful hand-made articles and tasty food will be featured at the Church of the Latter Day Saints 1880 W. 220th St., Friday, Nov. 13, when the church Relief Society stages a bazaar from 6 to 10 p.m.

Mrs. Ernest Preston, president of the society, is in charge of arrangements for the annual event. Assisting her are Mrs. Hortense Smith, who will supervise sale of the hand-made articles, and Mrs. Minot Rugg, who heads the kitchen committee.

Other organizations of the church will lend a helping hand, operating game and stunt booths.

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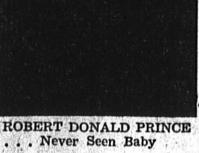
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WIFE, NEW BABY WAIT FOR PAPA

His wife isn't the only one who's waiting for Navyman Robert Donald Prince to come home.

With the Torrance High School grad, the former Miss Jean Fender, at their 3208 W. 188th St. home, is a new baby



ROBERT DONALD PRINCE ... Never Seen Baby

whom papa has never seen. The little girl, named Wanda Nadene, arrived at Harbor General Hospital Oct. 25, while daddy was serving aboard the USS Frank E. Evans, D. D. 754. She weighed 7 lbs. 1/2 oz. but will be a lot bigger girl before Prince, who left for overseas duty in June, gets a chance to see her.

More Parents Invited to Join High School PTA

Because the membership drive closed Friday without the Association reaching its goal of 550, Torrance High School PTA is giving more parents the opportunity to join throughout the year, Mrs. I. O. Kastén, president, said this week.

"Any parents wishing to join may send their dues in an envelope to the school or call Mrs. J. L. Hinds, membership chairman, at FAIRfax 8-8882," Mrs. Kastén said.

PTA executive board members met yesterday in the high school cafeteria to make program plans for the general meeting on Nov. 10.

Madrona PTA Meet Draws Record Crowd

A record crowd of 250 attended October meeting of Madrona Ave. PTA, Mrs. John D'Ornellas, publicity chairman, reported this week.

Highlight of the session, held at the school auditorium, were group conferences designed to acquaint parents with the school curriculum. Room mothers served refreshments at the close of the evening.

Also highlighting the Association's activities this month was a potluck dinner, served to about 100 members and friends, at the school. Scouts were featured on the program, with the Cubs singing "Doggie in the Window" and selling candy and the Girl Scouts selling calendars.

City Gardeners To Dress-up Next Tuesday

Come dressed as you were when plowing the "north forty" at next Tuesday's meeting of the North Torrance Fuchsia Society, to be held at 7:30 p.m. at McMaster Hall, Mrs. Marjorie Cunnery, press chairman, invited local residents this week.

Prizes will be awarded for the most authentic gardening outfit, so throw down your spade and shovel, kick off the mud, and come to the garden club, she said.

Following the business session, Elinore Pettit will give a talk on "Christmas Decorations." A plant sale will be held, and members and guests may bring cuttings and bulbs to exchange at a special table.

CAMP FIRE GALS PRESENT PLAYLET

An original playlet about Camp Fire, presented by members of the Tandra Kow Camp Fire group, highlighted the October meeting of the Harbor District Board of Directors, Los Angeles Camp Fire Girls, which was held at Halldale School here.

The girls also presented the same skit, a portrayal of Camp Fire laws, for their sponsors, the 186th St. PTA.

The group is under the leadership of Mesdames LeRoy Shore and Paul Goodrow.

Nursery Tots May Visit Fire Station

Trip to the Torrance Fire Station is on the future agenda for tiny tots at Torrance Co-operative Nursery School.

Parents meeting for the weekly adult education class at Torrance High School Monday night tentatively scheduled the event during a business session following a potluck dinner. The moms and dads devoted the remainder of the evening to discussing everyday problems of dealing with children.

Board of directors of the association will meet Monday night, 8 o'clock, at the 2121 W. 247th St., Lomita home of George Champton to discuss future activities of the nursery school and parent class. Enrollment information may be obtained by calling Mrs. Jim Cahow, membership chairman, at FAIRfax 8-1638.

Local Woman Guest At Sorority Fete

Mrs. Don Fisher of Torrance was included among the guests Wednesday of last week when Lambda Eta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority held a Halloween party at the Gardena home of Mrs. Bill Condit.

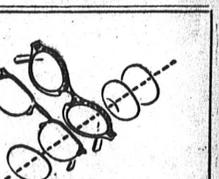
Contest for the best costume highlighted the evening, with a prize for originality going to Mrs. Ralph Dorsey. Games and refreshments carried out the Halloween motif.



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